

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

GEORGE BATES, :
: Petitioner, :
v. : No. 2:15-cv-05527
:
SUPERINTENDENT FERGUSON; :
DISTRICT ATTORNEY, CHESTER COUNTY; :
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE STATE :
OF PENNSYLVANIA, :
:
Respondents. :

O R D E R

AND NOW, this 16th day of April, 2018, for the reasons set forth in the Opinion issued this date, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

1. Bates's objections, ECF No. 10, to the Report and Recommendation are **OVERRULED**;
2. The Report and Recommendation, ECF No. 7, is **ADOPTED**;
3. The petition for writ of habeas corpus is **DISMISSED**;
4. This case is **CLOSED**; and
5. There is no basis for the issuance of a certificate of appealability.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Joseph F. Leeson, Jr.
JOSEPH F. LEESON, JR.
United States District Judge